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No. 79-1582

RONALD THOMAS COLEMAN,
AKA RONALD THOMAS COLEMAN-BEY,
ET. AL.,
Petitioners
vs.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

SUPPLEMENTAL APPENDIX TO

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To the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit

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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

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NO. 78-5189

United States of America, Appellee,

v.

Ronald Thomas Coleman,

a/k/a Ronald Thomas Coleman-Bey, Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, at Baltimore. C. Stanley Blair, District Judge.

No. 78-5190

United States of America, Appellee,

v.

Steven Maurice Scott,

a/k/a Steven Maurice Scott-Bey Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, at Baltimore. Edward S. Northrop, Chief Judge.

No. 78-5191

United States of America, Appellee,

v.

Ronald Ricardo Lovejoy,

a/k/a Ronald Ricardo Lovejoy-Bey, Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, at Baltimore. Herbert F. Murray, District Judge.

No. 78-5192

United States of America, Appellee,
v.
John William McBride,
a/k/a John William McBride-Bey, Appellant.

Appeal from the United District Court for the District of Maryland, at Baltimore. Joseph H. Young, District Judge.

No. 79-5039

United States of America, Appellee,
v.
Ronald Thomas Coleman,
a/k/a Ronald T. Coleman-Bey, Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, at Baltimore. C. Stanley Blair, District Judge.

No. 79-5040

United States of America, Appellee,
v.
Steven Maurice Scott,
a/k/a Steven M. Scott-Bey, Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, at Baltimore. Edward S. Northrop, Chief Judge.

No. 79-5041

United States of America, Appellee,
v.
John William McBride,
a/k/a John W. McBride-Bey, Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, at Baltimore. Joseph H. Young, District Judge.

No. 79-5042

United States of America, Appellee,
v.
Ronald Ricardo Lovejoy,
a/k/a Ronald Ricardo Lovejoy-Bey, Appellant.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, at Baltimore. Herbert F. Murray, District Judge.

Argued September 14, 1979 Decided October 17, 1979

Before HAYNSWORTH, Chief Judge, and WINTER and MURNAGHAN, Circuit Judge.

Jacques E. Leeds-Bey, Sr. for Appellants; Stuart O. Simms, Assistant United States Attorney (Russell T. Baker, Jr., United States Attorney on Brief) for Appellee.

PER CURIAM:

Convicted of willfully filing false income tax withholding exemption certificates in violation of 26 U.S.C. - 7205, defendants appeal. Their principal contention is that, as descendants of former slaves, they are Moors and are not legally persons who can be prosecuted under the income tax law or any criminal law of the United States.

We reject the contention. It is answered completely by the adoption of the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Amendments to the Constitution.

We see no error in the refusal of the several district judges to recuse themselves.

OCTOBER 17, 1979 **AFFIRMED.**